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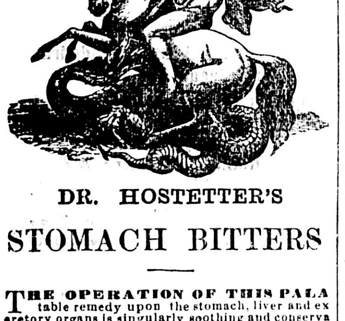
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AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

Orders for Cargoes, which will be sold at the owest market rates, are solicited by

J. G. JACKSON & CO.,
Agents for the
Free Port Mill Company.

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THE OPERATION OF THIS PALA table remedy upon the stomach, liver and excretory organs is singularly soothing and conservative. It regulates, recruits and purifies them. Dyspepsia in all its forms yields to its control and invigorating properties.

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DANCING ACCOMMODATION,
SWINGS, Etc., Etc.

Refreshments of every description.

Wines, Spirits, Ales, Porter, Cigars, &c., &c.

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PROPRIETORS,

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Attached to the Hotel is a regular

FERRY TO COWICHAN,

Shawnigan, Chemainos, Sansum, or to the neighboring Islands.

There is a large Farm of 400 acres, enclosed within a ring fence, and every care will be taken of horned cattle or valuable horses at the usual charge of one dollar per month for pasturage only.

HENRY FRY,
Proprietor.
N Saanich, 25th May, 1864. ju24 1m

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Cor. of Fort and Government streets,

MARSHALL & LINCK

PROPRIETORS.

The best WINES, LIQUORS, ETC., always on hand. ju22 tf

South Saanich Hotel,

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THE ABOVE NEW HOTEL IS now ready for the accommodation of Travellers, Sportsmen and the Public generally.

The Table will always be supplied with

The Best the Market Affords.

The Bar is stocked with a choice variety of

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CIGARS, &c.

For the accommodation of Persons going to Salt Spring Island, Cowichan, Chemanis, and other Places.

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LUMBER!

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J. O. SMITH - - Owner.

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WHARF AND YARD

—NEAR THE—

Rock Bay Bridge,

Where they will keep for sale a full assortment of

ROUGH and DRESSED

LUMBER,

FIR, SPRUCE, AND CEDAR

—AT THE—

Very Lowest Market Prices,

They will fill promptly Builders' and Contractors' orders for Rough and Dressed Lumber, cut and Dressed to order, and for T. & G. Flooring, either Fir, Spruce or Cedar.

They are also prepared to contract for Cargoes, manufactured to order, and delivered either at Burrard's Inlet or in Victoria Harbor.

Orders may be left at the Rock Bay Lumber Yard or at the Store, corner Fort and Wharf streets.

DUNCAN & GEORGE.
ju28 tf

F. Weissenburger,

Successor to Ld. Lowenberg,

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WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENtion to selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

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Assay Office, Victoria, V. I.

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CHARGES:

For all deposits under 50 ounces........$2
For all " above 50 " One quarter of one per cent.

Ores of every description carefully Assayed.

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Victoria, 7th May, 1864. ju9

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THE MILL IS SITUATED ON THE Harbor of Sooke, and is in firstrate condition and in a well timbered district.

The privilege of cutting timber on 170 acres of land adjoining will be given. For particulars, apply to

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TO BE LET.

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The Two Story Brick Building on the corner of Douglas and View streets, either as a Dwelling House or Saloon.

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Apply to
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A FARM, SITUATED ON THE WILlamette River, Oregon Territory, containing Three Hundred and Twenty Acres, Fifteen years under cultivation, with Orchards and fine Dwelling House, Barn, Outhouses, &c., will be sold at a very moderate price.

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A FIRST-CLASS GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE, in a Handsome Mahogany Case, quite new and in perfect order.
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JAMES DICKSON, M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
WHARF STREET.
Victoria, 8 January, 1863. ja20

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SAN FRANCISCO.
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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,
Corner of Government and Broughton streets, Victoria.
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COR. OF FORT & BROAD STREETS,

Is the Best and Cheapest Establishment to Buy your Outfit

FOR THE MINES.

—VIZ.:—

4-point Blankets, Hudson Bay make	$6
Moleskin Pants,	2 25
Lambswool Shirts and Drawers, from	1 00
White and Grey Serge Drawers, Grey Over Shirts	1 25

Blue and Scarlet Shirts, Heavy Knit and Lambswool Socks,

BOOTS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.
au5 1m

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Wholesale and Retail

VARIETY STORE,

Waddington Street, Victoria, V. I.,

ESTABLISHED, 1858.

The undersigned would most respectfully inform his numerous Patrons and the Public in general, that he has made great alterations in his place of business, and has received large additions to his Extensive Stock, consisting in part of fine

SHEFFIELD PLATED SPOONS, FORKS, SOUP & SAUCE LADLES, &c., That would not disgrace the table of a Queen,

Crockery Ware, of all descriptions, Stone Ware, Small Preserving Jars, Milk Pans, &c., Glass Ware, Guns, Pistols, Garden Utensils, Cross-cut Saws, Axes, Hatchets, Nails, Curry Combs, Brushes, Tin Ware, Stoves, Tubs, Buckets, Wash Boards, Hand Saws (Spear & Jackson's and Sorby's) Knives & Forks; Stubbs' Saw Files, Planes, Locks Butts, Shovels, Large and Small Vices, Anvils, and

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

—ALSO—

A Variety of Second-hand and other Goods too numerous to describe;

All of which will be sold in quantities to suit Purchasers. Cheap, for Cash, House, Hotel Keepers and Miners fitting out, will find it to their advantage to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

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Persons breaking up House-keeping, will find it to their interest to call on me before disposing of their Wares.

Orders from British Columbia and Puget Sound promptly attended to; also an Assortment of the above goods can be obtained by calling at my

BRANCH STORE on YATES STREET, Next Door to the Deluge Engine House,

Ju30 T. P. FREEMAN.

OPENING

—OF THE—

GEM SALOON!

Corner of Government & Yates Sts.

The Undersigned respectfully inform their Friends and the Public generally that the above Saloon will be

OPENED THIS EVENING!

The BAR is Stocked with a Choice Selection of the Best California and other Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

All Friends are invited to be present.

A. W. SHULZE, } Proprietors.
H. C. HOERCHNER, }
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AND

LARGEST

CLOTHING STORE

IN SAN FRANCISCO,

No. 545, 547 & 549 WASHINGTON STREET.,
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A. BULER

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ADJOINING MR. SEARBY'S DRUG STORE.

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The old motto strictly carried out—"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

Do not Fail to call at

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Next to Searby & Moore's Drug Store, near Fort Street. Jel6 6m

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IN THE FIELD!

MINERS STORE!

—AT—

SOOKE.

GEORGE S. GLADWIN

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Flour, Bacon, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Hams, Beans, and all kinds of Groceries and Provisions, Picks, Shovels, Axes, Rockers, and all kinds of

MINING TOOLS,

Which will be sold at a small advance on Victoria prices. au3

For New Westminster, Yale

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DOUGLAS!

THE SPLENDID NEW STEAMER

" ALEXANDRA,"

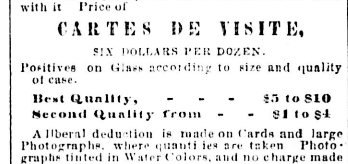
CAPT. MOORE,

WILL LEAVE PICKETT & CO'S. WHARF

For the above ports, connecting with steamer "FLYING DUTCHMAN" at the Mouth of Harrison River.

For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board, or to

PICKETT & Co.
au2



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CARTES DE VISITE,

SIX DOLLARS PER DOZEN.

Positives on Glass according to size and quality of case.

Best Quality, - - - $5 to $10
Second Quality from - - $1 to $4

A liberal deduction is made on Cards and large Photographs, where quantities are taken. Photographs tinted in Water Colors, and no charge made for Coloring Positives, except where extra work is required.

au8 JOHN WM. VAUGHAN.

Re-Opening

—OF THE—

FASHION

MUSICAL HALL!

—ON—

MONDAY EVENING,

August 8th, 1864.

THE PROPRIETOR BEGS LEAVE to inform his Patrons and the Public that at considerable expense he has engaged the following well known Artistes from San Francisco.

MRS. LAURA A. RICHARDSON,
The Talented Pianiste.

MISS FANNY STEPHENS,
The well known pleasing Vocalist, late of the principal Theatres in San Francisco.

MISS SARAH E. HENRY,
Formerly of Gilbert's Melodeon and New Idea.

MRS. MARY GARDNER,
MISS JENNETTE STUART,
MISS LOUISA MERRILL,
MISS MARY BRENDON.

The Proprietor hopes that every one who has not concluded to visit "SOOKE" will patronise the only place of amusement in the City. au8 2m

Spratt & Kriemler,

IRON AND BRASS

Founders and Machinists,

Albion Iron Works,

VICTORIA, V. I. au9 1m

Salt! Salt!

100 Tons

COARSE SALT,

Ex "DOMITILLA."

For Sale by

J. FRAIN.
City Wharf, July 6th. au6

A. F MAIN,

Land Agent,

STOCK AND SHARE BROKER,

—AND—

ACCOUNTANT.

OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite Broughton street.
August 17th, 1863. jul8 tf

A Colonial Institution.

A Glass of

BUNSTER!

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WITH REFERENCE TO AN ADvertisement signed by Mrs. Sarah Hobbs, I hereby give public notice that I have ceased from transacting business for her, and that it is my intention to withdraw from being security for her in respect of the probate of her late husband's will.

PARIS CARTER.
Dated, 10th August, 1864. au12 3t*

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY CAUtioned against negotiating or in any way dealing with a certain promissory note for Twenty-nine Hundred and Seventy-seven Dollars and Sixty seven Cents, drawn by Ernest R Walker in favor of W. Hood, dated Victoria, April, 1863, and payable on demand. Payment of same will be refused as no value has been received.

ERNEST R. WALKER.
au9 1w

NOTICE.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT PARIS CARTER is no longer Agent for Mrs. Sarah Hobbs.
Victoria, V. I., August 8th, 1864. au9 1m

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY DISPOSED OF my stock of HARDWARE, &c., to Messrs FELLOWS & ROSCOE, who will carry on the business as heretofore at No. 20 Yates Street,

ALFRED FELLOWS.
August 4, 1864. au5 1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE TO THE public that the co-partnership entered into between myself and Charles Bacon in the business carried on by us up to the date hereof, in the Pioneer Saloon, on Johnson street, Victoria, as Liquor Dealers, has been this day dissolved.

NIEL MORRISON.
Witness—JOHN COPLAND, Solicitor, Langley street,
Dated the 1st day of August, A. D., 1864. au2*

Administrator's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING BEEN appointed Administrators in the estate of William Wallace Cunningham, deceased, give notice that all claims against said estate must be presented at the store of G. B. Wright & Co., Camerontown, Williams Creek, on or before the 1st day of September next. Any persons indebted to the estate will please make payments to either of the undersigned; and all parties holding in their possession any property belonging to the estate will please to notify us

G. B. WRIGHT,
JOHN PERRIN.
Administrators of Estate of W. W. Cunningham.
Camerontown, July 24, 1864. au1

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing under the firm of Martin, Bellion & Co., as Plasterers, in Victoria, V. I., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by George Martin, to whom all accounts must be paid.

GEORGE MARTIN.
Victoria, August 3d, 1864. au4

NOTICE.

S. MOLLITOR & CO.,

ASSAYERS,

HAVE REMOVED TO THE OFFICE formerly occupied by S. GUMBINNER & Co
Victoria, July 19, 1864. jl21

NOTICE

DURING THE ABSENCE OF THOMAS PATTRICK at San Francisco I hold his Power of Attorney for conducting his business at Victoria, V. I.

JAMES REID ROBERTSON,
Dated 13th July, 1864,* }
Pattrick's Store, Government St. } jl18

Keating's Cough Lozenges.

THIS WORLD RENOWNED MEDIcine, which has obtained such celebrity in all parts of the globe, in the cure of Cough, Asthma, Hoarseness, Incipient Consumption, and other affections of the Chest and Pulmonary Organs, is strongly recommended to all suffering from any of the above disorders, as One Trial will be sufficient to prove their undoubted efficacy, being frequently used under the recommendation of the most eminent of the Faculty.

IMPORTANT TESTIMONIAL.

MELBOURNE, Port Philip,

DEAR SIR,—I duly received per Maitland the case of Lozenges, and have much pleasure in saying that they have met with a ready sale,—therefore, send me now the value of ten pounds, that is, double the last sent, packed in two cases with Tins, &c., as before.

The Lozenges require only to be tried, and I am sure the sale will be immense. I am not an advocate for Proprietary Medicines in the general way, but assure you that the Lozenges have done so much good in almost every case in which we have recommended them, that I believe them better adapted to this climate than anything else we have seen used.

Believe me, dear Sir, yours faithfully,
DANL. R. LONG.
Mr. Thomas Keating.

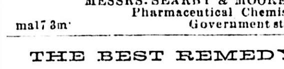
Prepared and sold in Boxes and Tins of various sizes, by Thomas Keating, Chemist, &c., No. 79 St Paul's Church Yard, London. Sold retail by all Druggists and Patent Medicine Venders in the world.

N. B.—To prevent spurious imitations, please to observe that the words "KEATING'S COUGH LOZENGES" are engraved on the Government Stamp of each Box.

Sold in Victoria, V. I., by
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Pharmaceutical Chemists,
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THE BEST REMEDY

FOR INDIGESTION, &c.



CAMOMILE PILLS

ARE confidently recommended as a simple but certain remedy for Indigestion. They act as a powerful tonic and gentle aperient; are mild in their operation; safe under any circumstances and thousands of persons can now bear testimony to the benefits derived from their use.

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NOTICE.

TREASURY, 15th July, 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That under the provisions of the "Victoria City Half Per Cent Tax Act 1864," a Tax of one Half of one per cent on all Real Estate situated within the incorporated limits of the City of Victoria is now due, and payable into the Treasury, on or before the 7th day of August, 1864.

ALEXANDER WATSON,
jl18 1m Treasurer.

"British Columbian"

PARTIES WISHING THE ABOVE Paper left at their Residences, or desiring to Advertise in it, can do so by leaving their orders at the office of the "BRITISH COLONIST," where they will be promptly attended to by

J. DORAN.
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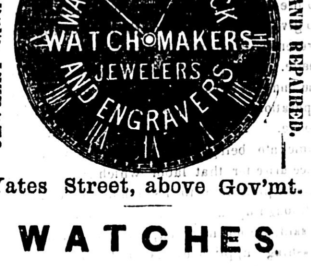
Trade Licenses Amendment Act, 1862.

THE COURT OF REVISION WILL sit on Tuesday, the 9th inst., at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES G. WYLLY,
Assessor.
Victoria, 3d August, 1864. au4

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MINERS

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WILL FIND A

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Ales, Wines, Liquors, etc.

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Which will be supplied to their Customers

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RECEIVED PER BARK W. B. Scranton, and other late arrivals, 2,400 gallons Diamond COAL OIL. This is decidedly the best quality of Coal Oil that is imported into this Market.

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Wallace & Stewart,
au8 YATES STREET. 1m

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Monday Morning, August 15, 1864.

To Advertisers & the Public.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST, published every morning (mondays excepted), is the largest and most widely circulated journal in Her Majesty's Possessions on the Pacific

Resident Subscribers may have the same left at their residence at 25 cents per week, by furnishing their address at the Office of Publication.

THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST, published every Tuesday, will be mailed or left at the residence of Subscribers, ready for mailing, at 25 cents per week, payable to the carrier.

JOB PRINTING.

THE BRITISH COLONIST PUBLISHING COMPANY having received a large addition to their stock of new and beautiful jobbing type, will execute orders to any extent with neatness and despatch, at a slight advance on San Francisco prices.

THE CONDITION OF THE MINES.

By a letter in another column it will be seen that the evils which we pointed out several days ago, as likely to result from the mining regulation that divided the claims in the centre of the creek, are beginning to make themselves felt on Leech river. On the very first attempt to flume the creek a dispute arose about the turning of the water, and the Commissioner, without giving himself the slightest trouble in the matter, decided against the parties who were about conferring a boon on the miners by dispelling at once all doubts about the bed of the stream. It is exceedingly unfortunate that with mining regulations so imperfect we should have the still further drawback of an unpractical man for a Gold Commissioner. Had His Excellency selected some one who possessed a mining experience, and who looked upon his position as one involving serious responsibilities, a good deal of the difficulty might be avoided; for persons holding opposite claims might have been made subject to certain conditions that would have compelled one party or the other, or both, to comm nce fluming at a certain period. At present everything seems brought to a standstill, either because some parties are unable or unwilling to flume. The difficulties which presented themselves to the miners in the first instance of working the bed of the stream are now generally acknowledged to have been exaggerated; and it is said by experienced men that there is nothing to prevent the work being completed in time to give the bed a thorough prospecting the present year, provided proper regulations are made. It is scarcely necessary to point to the immense advantage which such a mining operation would confer on the industries of Sooke. Saw mills would immediately come into being, and a demand would at once arise for that labor which is at present neither profitable to itself nor the country. Although upwards of seven hundred men, it is said, are on the creek, yet the sum total of washing appliances is not sufficient for one hundred working miners. There is not a fifth of the population engaged, and instead of the busy hum of industry that is characteristic of the miner's occupation, a kind of sleepy indolence seems to have got hold of the men who are to develop the first golden resources of Vancouver Island. All this, no doubt, would be changed, if we had the energetic miners of California or Caribou; but, unfortunately, as we have previously said, the majority of those on Leech river, are men unused to the pick and shovel, and who seem quite content to see others develop the creek, before they hurt their hands with the use of mining implements. All this is a heavy tax on the determined men who are anxious to give the bed of the river a trial; and there is a kind of dog-in-the-manger policy about it, which is tending fast to injure the reputation of the creek; for these inexperienced men will neither do much themselves nor allow others to do it; yet unless, something is immediately accomplished towards testing the bed, we may give up all hope of any quantity of gold being taken out the present year.

The suggestion made by "Observer," that His Excellency should visit the gold mines, so as to form a correct idea of affairs from his own personal observation, is, we think, well worth the Governor's attention. The importance of this new interest which is springing up almost in our midst, can scarcely be overrated, and it is necessary that the utmost caution should be used in dealing with it in a legislative point of view. We only regret that so unfortunate a choice has been made in the representative of the Executive on the Creek. A Gold Commissioner who has no higher ideas of his duty than amusing himself with his fishing rod, and who is rarely to be found at his official residence, is scarcely the sort of person to look after our mining interests. From the men who arrived on Saturday and yesterday, we hear of numerous complaints against this gentleman, and not the least are those of discourtesy and inattention. The Government want a practical, sensible, and affable man, to carry out the duties of a Gold Commissioner, and unless a person of this stamp is appointed, we may expect serious discontent on the mines. There is no earthly necessity for any other magisterial official—at least a paid one—in the Sooke district. If it should be found in the future desirable to have some authorised person at Sooke harbor, a respectable resident could fulfil all the duties, as in other new countries, and cost the Government nothing. Every day brings us in more and more satisfactory intelligence of the gold bearing nature of Leech river, and as soon as the rains commence to descend we shall have an extensive region embracing ravines and "gulches" which cannot now be prospected for want of water, open to the operations of the miner. It is, therefore, with a view to have the gold fields in all their bearings understood by His Excellency, that we would respectfully advise him to make a personal tour of inspection in the Sooke district before any important regulations are decided upon for the government of the mines.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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TWO PERSONS, NE COMPETENT to take charge of a Spirit store room and occasionally attend Bar; and one to make himself generally useful in cleaning up Bar, etc
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FOR SOOKE!

THE STEAMER

"ALEXANDRA."

CAPT. WM MOORE,

Will leave PICKETT & CO.'S Wharf

FOR SOOKE

—ON—

Tuesday Morning, August 16th,

au15 AT NINE O'CLOCK,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Victoria Turn Verein.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE Members is hereby called for Monday Evening next, the 15th instant, at 7½ o'clock, punctually, at TURN HALLE

All members are invited to be present, as regulations are to be made for the practice of Gymnastics, which are to commence forthwith.

By order of the Erster Sprecher,
H. F HEISTERMAN,
Schriftwart.

Turn Halle, 13th August, 1864. au15

V. R.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, 13th August, 1864

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED to the Colonial Secretary, and endorsed "Mule Trail to Sooke" will be received until 3 p. m., on Monday, the 15th instant, to construct a Trail connecting the Sooke Road, with the junction of Sooke and Leech Rivers, commencing at a point in a valley 3½ miles beyond Pratt's House, on the Sooke Road; the Contractor will follow the line placed by Mr Wallis' party, or such other line as the Surveyor General may direct

All timbers standing on the line to be cut and cleared level with the ground to a width of 6 feet, and stones, boulders, or other obstructions removed; Fern or saplal to be cut with a brush scythe, and side hill if any, graded three feet wide—no blasting—the line to be as straight as possible.

Each tender must state the price per mile, and the date when the work will be completed, and be accompanied by the names of two persons (to be approved of) willing to become security for the completion of the Contract, within the specified time, in a sum equal to one fourth of the amount of the tender, or by a money deposit of $150, which will be retained until the work is completed, or will beturned if the Tender be not accepted.

Payment will be made on the certificate of the Surveyor General when the work is completed.

The Govern ent do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Printed forms of Tender may be obtained at the Land Office.

By His Excellency's command,
HENRY WAKEFORD,
au15 Acting Colonial Secretary.

SOOKE GOLD MINES.

Alley & Co.,

FORKS OF

Sooke and Leech Rivers,

No. 1,

KENNEDY FLAT,

DEALERS IN

GROCERIES,

PROVISIONS,

HARDWARE, &c., &c.,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL. au15.

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NEW YORK—Messrs. Maitland, Phelps & Co.

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D. M LANG, Acting Manager.
Victoria, August, 1864. au15

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Gold Mines.

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For Sooke!

The splendid side-wheel Steamer

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CAPTAIN MOUAT,

Will sail from the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf for

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This (MONDAY) Morning at 9 o'clock,

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Fare, each way, - - One Dollar.

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Linen Bosom Shirts;
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Plaid Shawls;
Neck Ties;
Pipes;
Children's Suits;
Boots and Shoes.

AND, AT COMMENCEMENT,

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Will attend promptly to special sales of Lands Houses, Furniture, Stock, &c

Will furnish returns of sales with dispatch.

Will buy and sell on Commission.

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Fancy Glass Workers,

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Composed of the most distinguished Artists in the Profession, will exhibit at the

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—FOR—

THREE NIGHTS ONLY!

—COMMENCING—

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THIS TROUPE HAVE THE PLEASure of announcing to the citizens of this place that they have recently completed a new and beautiful Mammoth Marine

Steam Engine

CONSTRUCTED ENTIRELY OF GLASS: and the only perfect Glass Steam Engine in the world, will be in full operation during the Exhibition. Also a GLASS FOUNTAIN worked by the engine, with a glass force pump, affording a beautiful illustration of the application of steam to the fire engine.

MRS. NETTIE GRAFFAM,

The only Lady Artist in the world, will manufacture Beautiful Ornaments from Glass of different colors

The public will bear in mind that the

MAGNIFICENT SPECIMENS

Manufactured by the Troupe are

Given away!

To the audience at each Entertainment.

ADMISSION—One Dollar; Children half-price. Doors open at Seven. To commence at half past Seven. Distribution of presents at half past Nine.

au12

Fuca Straits Coal Mining Company, Limited.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named company will be held at the Company's office, corner of Fort and Langley streets, Victoria, on Monday the 15th instant, at 12, M., for the purpose of amending Article 2 of the Articles of Association of the Company, by striking out therefrom the words "Preference shares," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Fully Paid up shares."

By order of the Board of Directors.

HERBERT GASTON,
Secretary.

August 8th, 1864. au9 1w

MRS. F. A. THOMAS,

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CORNER FORT & BROAD STS.,

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At the Bar will be found the best Wines, Spirits, Ales, Cigars, &c., that can be procured in this market, and gentlemen can be accommodated with superior Board at moderate rates. au11 2p

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THIS SHIP WILL BEGIN discharging at our wharf this (Tuesday) Morning. All goods on the wharf at 5 p. m. each day will be stored at the expense and risk of the owner.

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Consignees.

Victoria, 9th August, 1864. au9 1w

Barque Kong Oscar.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN nor Consignees will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.

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COATS—Scotch Tweed, Melton, Silk and Wool, Deerskin, Fancy Doe, and black and blue Cloth, Kensington, Piccadilly, Sac and American Frock Styles.

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SUITS—Tweed and Doeskin; a large variety.

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Hosiery and Underclothing:

Merino, Cotton and Lambswool Hosiery and Underclothing. The best assortment ever offered in this colony,

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Mens' Straw, Felt and Cloth Hats, newest styles; a large assortment,

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Braces, Elastic Belts, Paper and Linen Collars, Ties, Scarfs, Bandanna Hkfs, Balmoral Bonnets, &c.,

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Superior Black Cloths, Doeskins, Fancy Meltons and Scotch Tweeds,

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A most complete assortment of Tailors' Trimmings,

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French Ginghams, Printed Cambrics, Chene, Muslins, Bradford Lustres, Colored Silks, Moire Antiques, Silk Velvets, Coburgs, Alpacas, French Flannels, Scotch Tartans, etc.,

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—ALSO—

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Victoria, August 6th, 1864. au8

SOOKE CITY.

A SECTION OF GROUND (LOT NO. 10) situated on the N. E. slope of Sooke Harbor has been selected for a Town Site

The plot thus chosen is admirably adapted for the purpose, the ground being level and the water front deep enough for any vessel

The shortest road can be made from this point to the mines. The country through which the road will run is void of swamps and ravines, and intersperse ed with fine prairies suitable for agricultural purposes.

A Wharf is being constructed which will be sufficiently advanced in about five days for the reception of steamers and other vessels

The trail is now being cut on a line leading from the Town Site direct to the mines, and a pack train will be put on at once

The TITLE to the above Town Site is direct from the Government.

Liberal arrangements can be made for immediate possession by those who propose making permanent improvements, erecting stores, Restaurants etc.

It would therefore be advisable for parties who intend establishing themselves on Sooke Harbor to inspect the above Site without delay.

For Map, Plans, &c. apply to

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FOR SALE.

ONE OF THOMSON'S HIGHLY FINished Perth four-wheel

DOG CARTS,

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NOTICE OF CALL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the above Company, held this day, a call of Twenty-five Dollars per share was levied upon the subscribed stock, payable forthwith to the Secretary, at the Office of the Company, in Fort street, near Broad street,

J. P. CRANFORD,
Secretary.

Victoria, V. I, August 10th, 1864. au11

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Several good brands in case and cask.

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Also, a few cases very choice Duke of York Port.
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—AND—

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All the above Goods will be sold at a very small advance on first cost, as the subscriber intends to close out business in the Fall.

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THE OFFICE

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Capital..... $10,000,000.
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THE BRITISH COLONIST
Monday Morning, August 15, 1864.

COMMERCIAL.

Auction Sales This Day.

J. A. McCREA will sell at Salesroom, Wharf street, at 11 o'clock, a.m., One Chestnut Horse, goes in harness and under saddle; also, Groceries and Provisions.

FROM ALBERNI.—The steamer Thames, Henderson, arrived from Barclay Sound yesterday morning. The Thames towed out to sea before leaving, the ships Clutha Belle and Ville de Toulouse. There are now five ships loading at the Alberni Mills. The Captain of one of the five came up on the Thames for a crew.

FROM COWICHAN.—The sloop John Thornton, Clark, arrived from Cowichan yesterday morning with 15 tons of wild hay. The cargo was sold on arrival at $24 per ton.

The General Harney arrived on Saturday from Burrard's Inlet with 50 M lumber to Duncan & George.

VICTORIA MARKET.

Saturday, August 13, 1864.

Trade for the past week has been somewhat brisker, orders from the upper country having come in more freely and a slight impetus having been received from the present mining excitement. The stocks of flour and grain have been considerably augmented by importations from San Francisco per Frances Palmer and Narramissic, and are now fully adequate to meet any anticipated demand.

Wheat and Barley are still in limited supply and prices range high.

Prices have not changed materially since last quotations. The following are the present retail rates:

FLOUR—Self Rising—$14 ⅌ bbl; Extra, $13 @13 50 do do
OATMEAL—11c@11½ ⅌ lb
CORNMEAL—7c ⅌ lb
BUCKWHEAT—8c ⅌ lb
BEANS—White—5½c ⅌ lb ⅌ sk; pink do, 3¾ do do
MIDDLING—3¾@3½ do do
GROUND FEED—4¾c ⅌ lb
BRAN—2½c ⅌ lb
HAY—2@2½ ⅌ lb ⅌ bale
WHEAT—firm, at 4c ⅌ lb ⅌ sk
BARLEY—4¾@4½ ⅌ lb
OATS—3¾@4c ⅌ lb
TEA—36@46 ⅌ lb ⅌ chest
COFFEE—22@28 ⅌ sk
SUGAR—7@14c ⅌ lb ⅌ bbl or mat
RICE—5@8c ⅌ lb ⅌ sk
ENGLISH CANDLES—25c ⅌ lb ⅌ bx; American do, 21@22c do do
BUTTER—Fresh, 40@50c ⅌ lb ⅌ case; Salt do, 35@45c ⅌ lb ⅌ firkin
HAMS—best; 18c ⅌ lb ⅌ dozen
BACON—best; 20c ⅌ lb ⅌ dozen sides.

IMPORTS.

Per schr. CAROLENA, from Metlakathla—6 pkgs furs and skins, 1 sealskin, 1 csk oil—Consigned to Siffken Bros.—Value, $1,460.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

Aug 13—Stmr Emily Harris, Hewitt, Nanaimo
Schr Winged Racer, Peterson, Port Angelos
Sloop Ringleader, Harper, Nanaimo
Schr Carolena, McKinnon, Metlakahtlah

CLEARED.

Aug 13—Slp Ringleader, Harper, Nanaimo

DIED.

On Saturday the 13th inst, in the Naval Hospital, Esquimalt, Thomas Dipnal, in consequence of injuries received by a fall from H.M.S. Sutlej. Deceased was lamented by all his shipmates.

THE BEST ROUTE FOR A MULE TRAIL.—Mr. Preuss, formerly of Johnson street, returned from Leech river *via* Goldstream, on Saturday. He left the mouth of Leech river on Saturday afternoon, at one o'clock, and camped about seven o'clock on a stream about two hours' travel from Goldstream.—Next morning started at six o'clock, and got into Goldstream close to the Britannia claim, at eight o'clock, making eight hours' travel from Leech to Goldstream. In going over the trail on the day previous, Mr. Preuss conducted two men over from the Britannia claim. After travelling about three hours, they struck a blazed trail with a surveyor's mark, and followed it from one o'clock till seven, when, finding it almost impassable, they camped, and next morning took a more north-west course, and got along much better, reaching Leech river at nine o'clock. The route followed by Mr. Preuss in coming back he thinks is not more than ten miles, and follows chiefly the top of a ridge, with a good deal of cedar and hemlock bottom. Only two bridges, and a few spots of corduroy are required to make a good mule trail. The course from Goldstream by this route is nearly due west. This route should be examined before giving out the contract for the new trail.

ONLY A HINT.—Among our numerous exchanges we are pleased to receive twice a week the only journal published in the Capital city of our Sister Colony. On glancing over its columns we occasionally hit upon a paragraph headed "plagiarism," in which it administers a severe scolding to one or other of its island contemporaries for daring to borrow its news without giving credit. For our own part we care but little who copies our news as we cater for our own subscribers and not those of other newspapers; but still it is somewhat amusing to find an Editor who is always preaching to others coolly appropriating, with the usual preface "*We have received*" columns of news which he well knew appeared alone in the COLONIST, brought hither by our special Express from Oregon, and which otherwise could never have reached him. "Do as you would be done by" is a wholesome precept and worth the observance.

THE NEW MINING TOWN.—The excursionists by the Alexandra yesterday, express themselves highly pleased with the appearance of the town-site at Sooke, and prognosticate the rapid springing up of a lively little town on that beautiful harbor. Should the gold discoveries in that vicinity prove as extensive as anticipated, we may hope to see ere long a fringe of bustling little ports all the way to Alberni, which will act as important feeders to Victoria, and conduce greatly to the general welfare of the country, despite the croakings of short-sighted individuals, who would fain make the public believe that they would prove formidable rivals to our own city.

VIEWS OF LEECH RIVER.—Mr. C. Gentile, photographic artist, returned last evening from the mines, with several fine views on Leech river. They include a view of the junction of the Leech and Sooke rivers. The mouth of Leech river, with miners at work with a rocker; also the Commissioner's camp, etc. So soon as the negatives are printed, we understand that they are to be sent for publication in the *Illustrated London News*.

TRAIL TO THE MINES.—It will be seen by a notice in our advertising columns that tenders are required by the Government for the construction of a mule trail connecting the Sooke road with the junction of Sooke and Leech rivers, commencing at a point in a valley three miles and a half beyond Peatt's, the contractor to follow the line blazed by Mr. Wall or such other route as the Surveyor General may direct.

THE "CASCADES."—The fine stern wheel steamer built at Utsalady and intended to ply on the Columbia river, is now lying at Brodrick's wharf. She will return to Utsalady to-day to take on board the frame work of another steamer, and will leave for Astoria towards the end of the week.

MORE SOOKITES.—The sloop Tibbals arrived on Saturday from Port Townsend, bringing ten passengers, all bound to the Sooke mines.

MINING LICENSES.—Up to 4, p. m., on Saturday, 305 mining licenses had been issued by the acting Gold Commissioners.

STRIKING A WOMAN.—John Hopper charged with assaulting an Indian woman was on Saturday remanded till Monday.

THE SOOKE MINES.

SATURDAY'S NEWS.

The intelligence received from our Island diggings continues highly satisfactory. Few have, so far, returned without the intention of retracing their steps, and the number of miners now on Leech river is said to fall not far short of 800. Of these probably one-half would be without claims waiting an opportunity of stepping into the "gumboots" of those who might fail to comply with the strict requirements of the mining regulations. About 20 miners returned by the Alexandra on Saturday night bringing with them about *five hundred dollars* of Leech river gold. From their accounts considerable jumping was taking place on Saturday, the day on which all claims were required to be fully represented. The next boat will probably bring back some of the disappointed ones.

Mr. J. W. Keyser, of the Wake up Jake claim, writing to his son in Victoria, under date of August 11th, says:

"The statement I have seen in the COLONIST of the 9th, was very correct as I stated it to their correspondent myself, but I have seen a report in the *Chronicle* that the Wake up Jake Company have jumped the claim in the absence of its owners, and are still working it. This I can safely say is not so. Any man of common sense will know that 12 claims cannot be jumped at the same time We hold our claims by pre-emption. The *Chronicle* correspondent has heard the toll a *bell* but did not know where the sound came from. There was a man trying to jump one of our claims, but he was ordered to jump off again. Our claim pays well; we took out a nugget to-day of 1½ ounces.

On Tuesday we learn the Wake up Jake Co. took out $100; on Wednesday 4½ oz; on Thursday 4 oz.

YESTERDAY'S NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF TREASURE.

From Mr. James Deans, of the Bullion claim, on Leech river, five miles from the Junction, we learn the following:

On Thursday afternoon last, with a pick and pan, took out $7, several pieces of which were worth $1. On Friday took out between $3 and $4; on Saturday afternoon, having got the rocker to work, made $4, and were confident they could make $5 per day to the hand. A number of men are working on the north Forks, chiefly crevicing, and find coarse gold from $1 to $20. A Kanaka assured a Frenchman, who immediately told our informant, that he had a nugget worth from $40 to $50. A Mr. Garrie and his partner, on Saturday last, took out each an ounce with a rocker, and are making every day about $5 each. The Wake-up-Jake Co. say they are doing first-rate; $100 is reported to have been taken out in one day. One man who left on Sunday morning on the sloop Eagle, for Victoria, had 9 oz. in his possession. Mr. Deans says several companies are busy sawing lumber, and making preparations for several months' work. He has come to Victoria to procure another rocker, and other supplies. He heard that on a claim about a mile above the Commissioner's tent, a shaft had been sunk to the bed-rock, on a bench, out of which $3 87½ were got. Mr. Deans has about half an ounce with him, and believes there is a considerable amount in the possession of miners on the creek.

From Mr. Scott, who returned by the Alexandra, we learn that Messrs. Helgensen & Weir, on Saturday, from nine in the morning till six in the evening, rocked out $27 50.

Mr. Coleman states that he took up a claim a few hundred yards above the Forks, and on Saturday prospected it. In every pan he found the color, and although he is not an experienced miner, he believes with a rocker, he can make $5 a day.

Messrs. Anderson & Co., of Victoria, have taken up a claim of 800 feet, and called it the Alberni Bar Co. They are now engaged in sawing out lumber for sluices, and intend in a few days, working on a large scale. The prospects hitherto have been very promising, as much as four bits to the pan having been taken, the average being about 25 cents. On Saturday, in two hours, they washed out, with a rocker, about $5. Messrs. Anderson intend to give the claim a thorough prospecting, and will spare no expense in doing so.

Mr. Pruyn, who was four miles above the Forks, and who went to the diggings to satisfy his own personal curiosity, states that he found some miners who had great hopes of finding good pay in the benches.

The Nil Desperandum Company, about 3 miles up the creek, on the left hand side going up, were taking out about 2 ounces a day to one rocker, and yesterday found a nugget worth $7.

The Wake up Jake Company were working two rockers, and said they were doing well.

The Swanson Company were getting pay out of the bench, about 11 feet from the bed of the river; saw the proceeds of 34 pans of dirt, about $2.

Smallbone and Company showed the proceeds of Saturday, forenoon's work, which was $4.

Several Companies say they are making grub.

Mr. Pruyn went overland from Victoria by Goldstream, and thinks the distance from Victoria is about 24 miles, and the trail good; was guided by a Mr. Preuss.

The Rev. Mr. Garrett was met yesterday morning, within a half mile of Leech river. He was intending to hold service there.

Mr. Pruyn heard that a creek had been discovered some 20 miles from Leech river, which prospected well, but there was no water at present to work it. The discoverer would not disclose the whereabouts, but was satisfied that he had a good thing.

The miners do not complain of the license fee, but grumble much at the system of recording.

There was not much jumping of claims on Saturday, most of the claims being represented.

There is no doubt in the minds of the miners about the richness of the river banks, the only fear is that the pay dirt is not extensive enough to last.

Messrs. Bruce & Garrie are working with, a rocker, washing out the decomposed slate and took out two ounces in one day. Their claim is situated a short distance above the Industry Company.

Mr. W. McK Smith and Mr. Moffatt, who are working a claim on Leech river, have been some days employed sinking a shaft on the river bench. Mr. Smith says they obtained good prospects all the way down, and he is confident that the dirt will pay all the way through. The company are now sinking a shaft in the bed of the stream, and expect to strike the bed rock at a depth of 8 feet.

Assistant Surveyor General Pearse had blazed the river trail through. He reports that it will take about three weeks to construct a practicable trail to the mines.

Several parties prospected for amusement yesterday at the mouth of Sooke river and obtained colors every time. It is believed that all the flats along the mouth of the Sooke are auriferous.

Messrs. Shutelroe and G. Buckland, of the "Wake up Jake" claim, who returned last night by the sloop Eagle, having left the Creek yesterday morning, came down to Sooke Inlet from a mile above the Forks of Leech and Sooke rivers in *three hours and ten minutes*. We learn that on Friday they washed out *four ounces*, and yesterday *three and a half*. They have been averaging $7 50 to the hand for one week. There are twelve in the claim. They have taken out altogether, *thirty three ounces* since Monday last, the day on which they commenced working. Our informants showed us about 13 ounces of splendid looking dust, for which they were offered $19 25 to the ounce on the ground. The company are busy preparing sluice boxes, and expect to average $10 per day. Our informants have come down for supplies.

Mr. Wm. Balls who also arrived by the Eagle informs us that his company, named the Rough and Ready, have taken up the highest claim on Leech river, about six miles up. On Saturday they commenced working with a rocker with two men, and took out $10 during the day from the surface dirt. They are sinking a shaft in the hill about 5 feet from the bed of the river, getting as high as 10 cents to the pan all the way down. They are also preparing sluice boxes.

There were about 30 miners on board the Eagle, and they had in their possession about *seven hundred dollars!!*

From Mr. Jeffery we have the following:

The Butcher Co. have sent to Victoria for a California pump to enable them to reach the bed rock in the bed of the stream. Some of those who owned claims opposite Ward's store were obliged to stop working from a large fire which was raging in the woods.

Messrs. Thain, Hicks, Cool, Shepperd and others, who occupy both sides of the creek next below the Fisher Co., had sunk a shaft in the bank, but not finding the bed rock were sinking on the opposite side and getting from 5 to 15 cents to the pan on Saturday they intend working at once with a rocker.

The Fisher Co. have sunk a hole about 8 feet by the edge of the stream without reaching the bed rock. They got the color all through. Two of their number were working their rocker about 120 feet above, and on Friday took out an ounce of gold in three hours.

The Roar Back Co. immediately above, commenced rocking on Friday at 9 o'clock, and in 8 hours' work took out an ounce. Jeffery and Stephen McDonald are the only shareholders in this claim.

The Ross Company above are running a tunnel from the edge of the stream into the hill, and are well satisfied with their prospects. They intend reaching the bed rock.

Opposite to them, a company have sunk in the bed of the creek, and from two or three pans washed out prospects of from 15 to 20 cents. They were working a rocker on Friday, but had not cleaned up when our informant left them. In the bottom of the rocker, from the first washing, about $5 were visible on the blanket.

The Thain, McDonell Company were working two rockers, and taking out good wages. They were all in high spirits.

From this claim above, as far as Jim Williams' claim, they are only prospecting. Williams was obtaining from $10 to $15 a day by crevicing.

A meeting was held on Friday night between Alley and Layzell's tents, and was attended by nearly all the miners working on the Flat. It was moved by Alley, seconded by Captain Thain, and carried unanimously, that the flat be called the KENNEDY FLAT, in honor of the Governor.

Mr. Layzell had just opened his Wine and Liquor Store, and called all hands up to drink prosperity to the diggings.

Concerts are nightly held in the Thain tent and Roar-back camp, and the surrounding hills are made to resound with "Auld Lang Syne."

Some Italians working on bars, 6 or 7 miles above the north forks of Leech river, washed out with only three pans $43 in one day.

Some other Italians were also prospecting about a mile from the forks, and took out pieces of gold varying from 4 bits to $6. They have since recorded their claims.

It is the opinion of miners of experience that the richest deposits will be found above the forks.

The Italians told Mr. Gentile, from whom we have the above information, that they had been to the head waters of the Leech river, about 13 or 14 miles up from the North fork. They had to pass by some awful cañons, and found the river afterwards opening out into a flat marshy country, where they obtained good colors. They were of opinion that this marshy ground was probably drained by a stream on the other side, having an outlet at Cowichan.

LEECH RIVER.

[FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT.]

LEECH RIVER, Aug. 13, 1864.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST: SIR—I like the appearance of this place very much. So far as indications of gold are concerned, you can get the color anywhere. I have seen a piece of gold that was taken out of the Wake-up-Jake, or Keyser claim, which weighed upwards of 1¼ oz.; it is said to be the largest piece taken out since Booth got his. This claim is two or three hundred yards lower down the creek than Booth's, and on the opposite side, about two miles up what is called Leech river, but in reality a continuation of Sooke. The river is all claimed. There are large stakes about six or eight feet high, stuck up in the centre of the stream, which reminded me very much of an Indian grave yard on the Fraser. It is a most unfortunate mistake making the centre of the river the starting point for claims. There should have been river and bank claims, and persons then could choose which they pleased. By this arrangement, one-third more claims would have been afforded. The mischief being done of course cannot be undone, the claim owners having acquired a legal right from the government which cannot be set aside; but there is an improving, or working condition attached, which if intelligently managed, can get the better of the difficulty. There should be say 10 days given for all parties to flume the river, or abandon it.—Where the stream cannot be turned without disputes, the commissioner should direct how it should be done; and of course this official ought to be a clever, practical man, so that no injustice should be done. The great object should be the speedy development of the mines, to see if there is anything in the bed of the stream. There should be no time lost; for it is likely the rain will be upon us in a couple of months, and the prospectors in the hills will shortly fill the creek with rubbish of one kind and another, so as to make creek working an undertaking so formidable that few will attempt it. There are but few rockers at work on the river, washing out dirt taken from the scrapings of the croppings of rotten slate, and a little gravel. In a few days all this sort of light diggings will be worked out, and the rockers laid up in ordinary. The only work that can be done with any advantage at present is fluming the stream and getting into the bed to see if there is anything there, There ought to be good diggings in the river, judging by the prospects already obtained and by the similarity of Leech to other rich rivers. It is very like the North Fork of the Yuba river in California. There is no one, however, trying to get into the river at present. Sam Booth who got the nugget, was making praiseworthy efforts to prospect the bed of the stream on Wednesday last, by turning the river. The parties who claimed the opposite side of the river, gave him liberty to turn the water on their ground; but when he got part of the work accomplished, Cushman, who kept a vegetable store on Wharf street, and who is now peddling newspapers on the creek, came along and told him to stop; he (Cushman) being a partner in the claim. Booth, however, refused to knock off, and Cushman went immediately to the commissioner, who sent Booth the following note without looking at the claim himself or hearing the other side of the question:

"Mr. Booth is particularly requested to discontinue the carrying of water over or on the claim of Mr. C.C. Cushman, as great inconvenience is caused by such practice.

R. GOLLEDGE,
Acting Gold Commissioner.
Leech River, Aug. 10th, 1864.

This decision of the Commissioner deprives us all of the pleasure of seeing if there is anything in that part of the stream. There are about 150 people sitting about here like Micawber, waiting for something to turn up instead of trying to turn up something; they are the most orderly and lazy set of people I ever saw. They seem to fancy the gold will dig itself. I think if ever the river is worked it will have to be done by people of determination and industry. It will cost about $50 to the claim and one month's labor to flume and prospect the bed of the stream properly; so you see it is not a very formidable under, taking after all,

His Excellency could not do a better thing than come up here immediately and see for himself, and not listen to the Peter Funks or their cappers in Victoria. There are undoubtedly important public interests to be looked after here, and if the Governor wants to act wisely and well, he had better see things for himself. It is not more than a pleasure excursion to come here. It is not more than 12 miles from Sooke to Leech, over a tolerably good trail, and no person coming from Victoria has occasion to wet the sole of his boots. You could leave Victoria in the morning and be here at night. I would recommend all persons who can spare the time to come and see for themselves, particularly gentlemen who aspire to be rulers or advisers of the Government. They need not trouble themselves with blankets unless they like, if they do not all come at the same time. The miners would oblige any one with a night's lodging, and there is no risk yet awhile of any more disagreeable companions than a few sand flies. There is plenty of grub on the Creek. So far as the difficulties of the trail are concerned, I have seen small, weakly looking men pack from 75 to 100 pounds from Sooke to Leech in seven hours. I packed about 40 pounds myself in that time, and I don't consider myself a savage or a Samson, although the learned Attorney General puts all native colonists down as much more dangerous individuals. The trail could be shortened to 8 miles by the judicious expenditure of $250, and one could come from the landing on horseback in an hour and a half.

One of the anomalies here is that you cannot get a license without paying $5, and $2 50 for recording, which is simply making you pay for what you do not always get—a claim. I consider this is little better than obtaining money under false pretenses. Who will convict the Government? Quarles got 18 months in the chain gang.

There is a singularity about the conduct of the Commissioner which should not go unrebuked—he leaves his post and goes out for a day's fishing, while two policemen issue his licenses and do the commissioner's business generally in his absence, which of course is not legal.

About $2000 have been already received for miners licenses and records. It is generally admitted that the commissioner has taken more gold out of the creek than all the miners put together. With respect to the appointment of another magistrate for this place, it would be just about as necessary as the fifth wheel to a coach.

With regard to the question of a town site at Sooke, whatever is to be done should be done by Government. The place should be laid out as convenient to the river as possible, and where there would be twenty feet of water by constructing a wharf a reasonable distance into the harbor; reserving the waterfront as a public landing. The lots should be sold to actual settlers at a fixed value—say fifty dollars each, the purchasers compelled to put up a building of the value of $500, so as to prevent speculators damaging the prospects of the place. All this would create a demand for lumber at once, and induce men to construct saw mills, there being great facilities for getting out logs about the harbor and the rivers entering it. When the gold would be exhausted, there would be some employment for the inhabitants of the town and district, which would tend to develop a source of permanent industry. The gold mines should, as you have previously observed, be used as a local attraction; for every dollar that is taken out makes the country so much poorer and we should strive to develop sources of a more permanent kind.

OBSERVER.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster on Saturday, at 4:30 p. m., with 31 passengers and a small amount of treasure per Dietz & Nelson's express.

We have dates from Cariboo to the 4th inst. with correspondence from our "special" giving the latest news from the mines, the reception of Governor Seymour, &c.

CARIBOO LETTER.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

RICHFIELD, Aug. 4.

There is rather a dearth of mining news. Nothing definite has yet been heard from the prospectors who went out in search of the placer diggings.

Governor Seymour's Arrival.

Paramount in importance as affecting mercantile as well as the mining interests of the Colony is the arrival of His Excellency amongst us. He reached Richfield on Monday Evening the 1st inst., and was enthusiastically received. Since his stay here he has visited many of the claims. He went down the Aurora shaft, and was initiated into the mysteries of drifting for pay, in which, by the way, he was very successful. From a pan of dirt which he himself dug and washed out of the "pay streak," he got $51.

Yesterday he attended a meeting at the hospital, and also visited the library.

This evening he is to be present at a public dinner given by the miners in honor of his visit.

On Friday the 5th (to-morrow) he intends to leave for New Westminster, much to the disappointment of many, who expected he would have remained in Cariboo a week at least.

The necessary fatigue and hardship which His Excellency has patiently undergone in his recent journey; and the spirit of enquiry displayed by him in all matters affecting in any degree the welfare of the community, augur well for the future of the Colony. A practical knowledge of its resources and its wants, will prove invaluable, and future administration will no doubt assume a shape that will successfully develop the innate vigor of this young giant offspring of the Mistress of the Seas.

His Excellency has made many friends, and his visit to Williams Creek will long be remembered with pleasure by the miners of Cariboo.

Lieut. Cooper, Royal Marines, and Mr. Evans, constitute his Excellency's suite. The former gentleman is almost at home on the Creek, as his friends are legion. Mr. Evans is of course a stranger, but in his short stay he has made many friends.

The following address to his Excellency, was delivered by the Mining Board through their chairman Dr. Black.

To His Excellency Frederick Seymour, Esquire, Governor of British Columbia, etc.

The Mining Board of the District of Cariboo East, beg to welcome your Excellency to the interior and remote district of the country, and to congratulate their fellow subjects upon the arrival of a representative of the Crown, who demonstrates, by his own early acts, his interest in the country and people, whose prosperity and well-being have been entrusted to his care.

Widely separated from the mother country by an intervening continent and ocean, we cannot feel otherwise than solicitous upon the arrival of any person in whom the supreme executive power of the colony has been, for the time being, vested.

The early tour, therefore, of your Excellency to the remote interior of the colony, the seat of its present and prospective wealth, while it enables your Excellency to become better acquainted with the country, its resources and capabilities; with the people, their wants, and necessities, demonstrates to us your earnest desire to promote the happiness and prosperity of the country over which you have been called to preside.

The colony of British Columbia, like all other countries lying upon the Pacific slope of the American continent, is mountainous in its general topographical features, and richly stored with mineral wealth. While, therefore, agriculture, manufactures and commerce may flourish within our borders, yet nature, by an irrevocable decree, has determined the paramount interest of the colony, and the permanent vocation of the mass of its population.

Mining in its various forms, first for the precious metals, and afterwards for the baser, but more useful minerals, must continue to absorb, in a great degree, the attention and capital of the population.

Gold mining is peculiar, and differs from all other vocations of man, requiring for its successful prosecution, wise legislation and sound executive administration.

It impresses its peculiarities upon its votaries, changing their character, habits and feelings; it makes them excitable and unsteady in character, nomadic in habits, impulsive in their feelings, and exclusive in their associations; and we are happy to know that your Excellency has chosen this practical method of studying the country, the people, and the mining laws now in force here. Called into existence by a general conviction of the imperfectness and inapplicability of our system of mining laws, the Mining Board has not yet had time to mature and perfect the reforms demanded by our constantly increasing experience. Indeed it will hardly be doubted, that so long as new districts may be discovered, new methods of mining may be adopted, and new evils arise to be avoided, the necessity of a board of practical miners to digest and adopt new regulations, and to provide against existing hardships, and to submit the results of their experience and observation to the Legislative Council of the Colony, will continue to exist,

Hoping that we may enjoy the wisdom of your Excellency's advice, and that your administration may be successful and prosperous, we beg to subscribe ourselves your Excellency's obedient servants,

A. H. S. BLACK, Chairman,
WILLIAM HESELTINE,
GEO. DUFF,
FRED. BLACK,
WM. MOREHEAD,
JOHN POLMEN,
DAVID GRIER.

Richfield, Aug. 3rd, 1864.

The following reply was made by His Excellency:

Reply.

Gentlemen of the Mining Board of Cariboo,

I receive with great pleasure the congratulatory address you have been kind enough to present to me on my first visit to the mining districts of the colony. I had fully intended to place myself in communication with you, and I am glad that our intercourse has commenced in a manner so gratifying to me.

You may be sure that so long as I hold my present office my utmost efforts shall be devoted to the promotion of the interests of British Columbia. Though I have been here but a very few months, it has already fallen to my share to take a more important part in the administration of our public affairs than I could have desired to do with my necessarily limited knowledge. I was not, however, far wrong when within a few days of my arrival, I expressed to your legislature my belief that the paramount duty of your Governor was to facilitate access to the regions you occupy. I have seen little reason to change my early views, and I trust soon to see your wagon road completed. Unfortunate and unforeseen events have however recently made even the opening out of the mining districts inferior in importance to the assertion of the supremacy of the law, and the establishment of safety for life and property in a large portion of our territory. I have reason to hope, however, that I shall soon be able to devote my whole attention undisturbed to the purely civil duties of my office.

I acknowledge readily that for many years to come the prosperity, almost the existence of British Columbia, must depend upon the success of the miners. Every means, therefore, shall be used by me to promote that success. You truly describe the mode of life of these creators of our wealth, and I fully appreciate the self-dependence as well as mutual reliance which their peculiar labors are calculated to develop. I hope to be able to co-operate with you in establishing on a satisfactory basis some sort of public library and newsroom in which the inhabitants of the three towns on this creek may be able, agreeably and intellectually, to pass their long winter evenings.

Pray accept again my thanks for your very kind address.

The Bed Rock Flume Co.

Have now 500 feet of flume laid. Their ditch is being rapidly constructed and the portion from Jack of Clubs to Mink Gulch (about 1½ miles) is nearly completed. On the 6th of the month 1000 inches! of water will be turned into Williams Creek by the company. Their energy has not flagged, and where they get the money seems a mystery to all outsiders. The work speaks for itself, and the ditch alone will probably prove one of the best investments on this coast.

The Antler Co.

Are progressing rapidly with their work. They are nearly through the cañon, and have considerably extended their lead flume.

Williams Creek.

THE AURORA Co. washed up 350 ounces to a little over two days work.

THE BARKER Co. are taking out good pay again.

Most of the rich claims are suffering from a scarcity of water on the creek.

I have much pleasure in stating that the creek has received commercially a valuable accession in the person of Mr. Laumeister. He has opened a large store at Richfield, and his stock of goods is already finding a good market.

Mr. Winkler has sold out his business and gone to Victoria.

The wagon road is being pushed forward with vigor.

THE HAREWOOD COAL MINE.

The following letter from an experienced Welsh miner appears in the *Columbian* of Saturday:

SIR,—The Victoria papers are too much occupied with their prodigious gold discoveries at Sooke to pay any attention to their coal mines, which are much more important. They have certainly got a very fine coal field in Vancouver Island. As there is at present a good deal of animation in this town about coal and coal mines, I beg to lay before your readers a few facts which I noted when I was at Nanaimo on Saturday last I went over the Harewood mine with Mr. Robert Dunsmuir, the agent, and another gentleman. I have had a good deal of experience in coal mines, and, according to my ideas, the Harewood mine offers more facilities for working than any other mine on the Pacific coast. The seam runs due north, sloping up from the sea. This slope is of very great advantage for two reasons, as the company can tunnel instead of sinking a shaft, and so can draw their coal out instead of raising it; and again, they can drain a very large extent of ground, a mile and a half by three miles, from one opening, without being obliged to use pumps or any engines whatsoever. A tunnel is much safer for men to work in than a shaft, and this is a better tunnel than ordinary, for above the seam of coal is a good sandstone formation, which obviates the necessity of using any timber to hold the top. Not that timber is dear in this country, but then labor is. As far as I could judge by a cursory inspection the coal is of an excellent quality, with very little sulphur in it, and I think that it is very good for making steam. Much credit is due to Mr. Dunsmuir for his skill in tracing the seam. He has not been sinking holes here and there as a less experienced man might have done, but he has followed the lead most perseveringly and to a successful issue. Hoping that this may interest some of our present coal explorers, who I hope will meet with luck, I conclude with

Yours truly,
JOHN REES PRICE.

FROM PORTLAND.

Our files of the *Oregonian* are to the 8th. The latest Eastern news received in Portland to that date has already appeared in the COLONIST.

TELEGRAPHIC CABLE.—The steamship Oregon brought two very heavy coils of telegraphic cable to this city, on her last trip, for the extension to Victoria. One of these coils contains about six tons weight, and one about 2,800 lbs. It is of the same character of cable as that which now lies imbedded in the Atlantic, put there when it was attempted to be united to the mother country with America. We trust this, under the direction of Superintendent Haines, will be more successful in connecting the Britishers with us. The cable will be used at various points on the route of the line, across low ground, sloughs and the Columbia river.

THE PACIFIC LOADED.—We learn that a telegram was received in this city on Friday to the effect that the steamer Pacific was already full, and nearly 100 dray loads of freight had to be refused. The steamer would not, however, for some reason, sail until to-morrow. It is said there is an immense quantity of goods awaiting transportation to this region.

ASTORIA MARINE GAZETTE.—This is the title of a weekly paper just started at Astoria, by an association of residents. It is printed on the material of the late Portland *Union*, and has Lincoln and Johnson at its head.

The *Marine Gazette* says that the bark Almy is now discharging the heavy guns designed for the Forts at Point Adams and Cape Hancock.

KOOTANAIS.—We, *Oregonian*, have seen a gentleman direct from the Kootanais mines. He brings with him some of the dust, and his opinion is that the Kootanais is quite as rich in gold as the Boise country.

DESERTION.—Three sailors belonging to H.M.S. Sutlej, and one from H.M.S. Tribune, were brought before the Police Magistrate on Saturday, on a charge of desertion, and were ordered to be given up to their own officers. Walter Saunders, charged with assisting the men to desert was remanded till Tuesday.

THE EXCURSION TO SOOKE.—About 60 persons availed themselves yesterday of the visit of the Alexandra to the beautiful harbor of Sooke, and spent a most agreeable time. The weather was delightful and what was more conducive to the enjoyment of water excursions, the water was as smooth as glass. An excellent band under the leadership of Mr. John Astor, contributed much to the enjoyment of the company.

GREAT BENEFIT for those going to the Sooke and Leech River Mines. The best and finest India Rubber Coats ever imported to this colony, only weighing 1 lb., and India Rubber Pantaloons and Blankets; also Waterproof Caps, Silver's make, London, at A. J. Brunn's Clothing, Hat and Shirt Emporium, Government street, next door to the Bank of British Columbia, Victoria, V.I. au5 *

CLEARING OUT SALE OF DRY GOODS.—Roper & Co., Fort street, have determined on relinquishing the Dry Goods branch of their business, consequently the whole stock will be offered at a great reduction, till Saturday, the 20th inst., after which the balance will be sold at auction. *

☞ We learn from good authority that the well-known Chimney Sweep Professor, Chas. C. Daly, of the London Hotel, will give a series of Lectures in one of our Public Halls (previous to his departure for Chili, Peru, Mexico and Europe) on the construction of chimneys and the cause of the accumulation of soot in them. *

A MISTAKE.—Persons from the country coming to deal at the London House, having been misled as to the proper address, Messrs. Turner & Co. request them particularly to notice that their place of business is at the "LONDON HOUSE," No. 6, Fort street, next door to Jay's nursery store. *

FARM FOR SALE.—The attention of persons desiring to secure a fine farm and comfortable homestead, in the rich rural district known as the Willamette Valley, Oregon, is directed to the notice of sale in our advertising columns.

MADEIRA WORK.—A small lot of this rare and beautiful work was received by Messrs. J. H. Turner & Co. by last steamer, direct from London. *

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—Weak Stomach.—The wisest cannot enumerate one quarter of the distressing symptoms arising from enfeebled digestion all of which might be readily dispelled by these admirable Pills. They remove all unpleasant tastes from the mouth, flatulency and constipation. Holloway's Pills rouse the stomach, liver, and every other organ, helping digestion to that healthy tone which fully enables it to convert all we eat and drink to the nourishment of our bodies. Hence these Pills are the surest strengtheners, and the safest restoratives in nervousness, wasting and chronic debility. Holloway's Pills are infallible remedies for impaired appetite, eructations, and a multitude of other disagreeable symptoms which render miserable the lives of thousands. These Pills are approved by all classes. Jl11

INVENTIONS AND PATENTS.—Each year adds almost innumerably to the list of Inventions, and still more to that of inventions which are increased by a most uncommon multiple. The fruitful ingenuity of thousands of intellects thus contributes to the comfort, convenience and profit of the community, whilst of r. necessity it also numbers the victims of too flattering hope, or of too sanguine a calculation. The list of Patents, active, passive, or neutral—vital or still born,—productive or exhaustive, swells to enormous proportions, but never without more or less advantage from the faculties which it awakens or calls forth, if but for a brief interval into active play. Every invention confers some good upon the world. And those which tend to supply some great wants, or to relieve some great inconvenience, deserve at our hands so much the more commendation, that they cannot be called into existence at our bidding. Amongst those patented inventions which have appeared to illustrate this eventful year, and to figure in the great International contest of ingenuity and industry, though many be more showily represented and more conspicuously marshalled before us, none meets with more personal sympathies than that of the new Osteo-Eidon produced by Messrs GABRIEL, the celebrated Dentists of London, Liverpool, and Birmingham, (as it is evidenced by their being the only dentists chosen on the Committee of the International Exhibition), whose admirable adaption of Artificial Teeth has obtained so high an approval from the profession as well as from the public. The Osteo-Eidon as a base for sets of teeth, obviates all objections applicable to other materials, and whilst firmly seated in the mouth, and free from noxious elements, dispenses with all need of mechanism, and presents an appearance not to be distinguished from that of the natural gums and teeth. Messrs. GABRIEL announce that they submit their laboratories and manufactures to gratuitous inspection during this season. As may be seen by reference to our advertising columns, Messrs. Gabriel supply Artificial Teeth and Gums on their patented system, irrespective of distance.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills—Diseases of the Skin.—No case of the disease of the skin, be its nature what it may, has failed to be benefitted when these potent remedies have been properly applied in scrofulous and scorbutic affections they are especially serviceable. Scurvy and eruptions which had resisted all other modes of treatment and gradually become worse from year to year have been completely cured by Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills, which root out the disease from the blood itself, and leave the constitution free from every morbid taint. In the nursery Holloway's Ointment should be ever at hand. It will give ease in sprains, contusions, burns, scalds and infantile eruptions, and may always be safely applied by any ordinary attendant. *

DR. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.—Wherever there is dispepsia, they are in demand. Nor is it for indigestion alone that they are a specific. Every disorder of the stomach, the liver, the bowels, and the nervous system, seems to yield to their influence. They are an antidote to pain; they regulate the whole vital machinery, and may be justly termed the strongest ally that science has ever brought to the aid of nature in her struggle with sickness.—Sold by Druggists and dealers everywhere.

INVIGORATE THE SYSTEM.—Vigorous digestion and pure bile produce nutritious blood, and nutritious blood a healthy frame. Does the victim of a dispeptic stomach and a disordered liver desire to know how the digestion may be improved, the bile and other fluids of the body purified?

DR HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

will accomplish this desirable revolution in the system regulating the secretions and excretions, giving tone to the animal juices which dissolve the food, strengthen every relaxed nerve, muscle and fibre and brings the whole machinery of vitality into vigorous and healthful play.—Sold by all Druggists and dealers everywhere.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—For Bad Legs Sores, and Ulcers—Many aggravated sores stand ready to pounce upon the aged when an accident weakens any part. This Ointment is most potent in curing all cases of ulceration, abscess and "bad legs," after every other means had failed, and the sufferings experienced from them were utterly unendurable. Soon after the application of the Ointment, coolness and comfort are obtained in the affected part, the patient finds himself more at ease, and daily becomes more hopeful, as, with departing pains, a visible growth of granulation comes forth. It is well worth while adopting this treatment to regulate the secretions of the body by moderate doses of Holloway's Pills, which act in unison with his Ointment, and facilitate recovery.

REMOVED.

G. LANGE, CHRONOMETER AND Watchmaker, has removed from the Brick store of the San Francisco Baths, on Government street, to his own private dwelling house on Herald street, in the rear of the large two story frame building, where he will continue his business as before, and not being under any shop expenses whatever, will be enabled to do work still more reasonable than before, so that the trouble of customers walking out to Herald street will be well rewarded in having their work done well and cheaper than anywhere else.

DIRECTION—Herald street is the third street parallel with Johnson and the 4th lot from Store, where the sign of a Clock will meet the eye.

A fire and burglar proof Safe will secure your property. au3 1m

Fell & Company's SPICES

ARE ALL GENUINE AND CONSEquently much stronger than the adulterated article imported to this colony.

MINERS & FAMILIES who study economy will protect themselves from fraud by asking only for such as bear the name of their firm, and which can be had from all respectable dealers.

FELL & COMPANY,
Coffee and Spice Merchants,
Ju23 3dp 6m Broad street, Victoria, V. I.

Antler Bed Rock Flume Company, Limited.

NOTICE OF CALL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a Meeting of the Directors of the above Company held this day a further Assessment of Five Dollars ($5) per share was levied, to be paid at Office of the Company on or before the 21st of August, 1864.

By Order,
J. J. COCHRANE,
OFFICE—Government street. Sec'y.
Victoria, V. I., August 11, 1864. au12

Dr. ASH
HAS REMOVED
His Office to his Residence
ON FORT STREET.
au7

Ex Chrysolite AND Royal Charlie.

FREDERICK DALLY,

OCCIDENTAL STORE, COR. FORT AND GOVERNMENT STREETS,

HAS NOW ON VIEW HIS SPLENDID STOCK OF NEW GOODS. Engravings! Some Proof Prints on India Paper, from Paintings by Landseer, Ansdell, Goodell, Cooper, and others, and the set of Raphael Cartoons.

PIER AND LOOKING GLASSES
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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

All Disorders affecting the Liver, Stomach, and Bowels.

These Pills can be confidently recommended as the most simple and certain remedy for indigestion, flatulency, acidity, heartburn, colic, constipation, and all the many maladies resulting from disordered stomach or bowels. In all diseases it is of primary importance to set the stomach right. These pills are purifiers, alteratives, and strengtheners of the stomach. They may be taken under any circumstances. Though powerfully tonic and satisfactorily aperient, they are mild in their operation, and beneficial to the whole system.

Weakness and Debility, Nervous Irritability.

The wholesome effect exercised by these admirable Pills over the blood and fluids generally is like a charm in dispelling low spirits, and restoring cheerfulness. Their general aperient qualities well fit them for a domestic medicine, particularly for females, of all ages and periods of life. They never betray any disagreeable irritating qualities; they quickly eject all impurities from the system, and regulate every function of the body, giving wonderful tone and energy to weak and debilitated persons, while they brace and strengthen the nervous system in a most extraordinary manner.

To Regain Health, Strength, and Vigor.

Whenever persons find themselves in that state termed "a little out of health," and there are so many causes at work to shorten life, it is necessary that Holloway's Pills, the finest purifier of the blood ever known, should be at once taken, as they not only rid both solids and fluids of all morbid matters, but regulate all disordered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most extraordinary manner.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthmatical Affections.

These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Holloway's Ointment very effectively twice a day upon the throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with the preparation, will be found the most effective remedy for asthma, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and influenza. These remedies tranquilize the hurried breathing, soothe the irritated air tubes, and assist in dislodging the phlegm which stops up the air passages. This treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only curing old settled coughs and colds, but asthma of many years' standing, and even when patients were in so bad a state as not to be able to lie down on their beds lest they be choked by phlegm.

Derangement and Distension of the Bowels, Flatulency, Diarrhœa and Dysentery.

Any symptoms of the above complaints should be immediately met by appropriate doses of these Pills, according to printed directions; delay may be followed by disastrous consequences. These Pills are a certain remedy for all the ailments of the alimentary canal, they secure the thorough digestion of the food, and act most kindly on the stomach, liver, bowels, and kidneys. As a household medicine they are unrivalled, and should always be at hand.

Very Important, of Costiveness Beware.

Rarely but little notice is taken of costiveness, yet at certain periods it is a sure sign that danger is near. All who are seized with apoplexy and paralysis, have previously suffered from costiveness. In the former case the blood flies to the head, a small vein is ruptured on the brain, and we know the rest. Let wives counsel their husbands and husbands [illegible] wives, never to go to bed a second nig[illegible] the bowels have not been properly moved during the day, particularly if they feel heavy and drowsy. A few gentle doses of these fine Pills will regulate the circulation of the blood, and remove all dangerous symptoms.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:

Ague	Dropsy	Inflammation	Stone and Gravel
Asthma	Dysentery	Jaundice	Secondary Symptoms
Billious Complaints	Erysipelas	Liver Complaints	Tic-Douloureux
Blotches on the Skin	Female Irregularities	Lumbago	Tumours
Bowel Complaints	Fevers of all kinds	Piles	Ulcers
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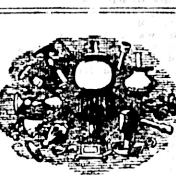
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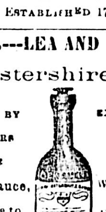
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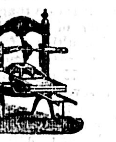
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